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The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A method for secure downloading of a file from a network, comprising:

receiving selection of a file;

receiving an order from a user, during an on-line session, for download of the selected file, the order including a file identifier related to the file and an order identifier related to the order;

verifying the file identifier based upon particular information related to the file;

verifying the order identifier based upon particular information related to the order, including:

determining if the order identifier is valid for the order, meaning the order identifier exists for the order;

determining if the order identifier is active, meaning the order was not canceled before the download of the file during the on-line session; and

determining if the order identifier is non-suppressed, meaning the order was not canceled after the download of the file during the on-line session; and selectively permitting the download of the file based upon the verification of the file identifier and the verification of the order identifier.

Claim 2 (canceled)

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Claim 3 (currently amended): The method of claim 1 wherein the verifying the file identifier step includes verifying one or more of the following: a version identifier related to the file; a uniform resource locator for the file; or a customer identifier associated with the user.

Claim 4-7 (canceled)

Claim 8 (original): The method of claim 1, further including verifying a transaction identifier associated with the order, and wherein the permitting step further includes permitting download of the file based upon the verification of the transaction identifier.

Claim 9 (currently amended): The method of claim 1 wherein the downloading step further includes selectively downloading the file based upon one or more of the following: a number of requested downloads associated with the file identifier; a number of successful downloads of the file; or a time parameter related to submission of the order.

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Claim 10-13 (canceled)

Claim 14 (currently amended): The method of claim 1-13, further including displaying a default identification as the file name for storing the file based upon an identification of the file.

Claim 15 (previously amended): The method of claim 14, further including transmitting the generated file identifier for display to the user.

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Claim 16 (original): The method of claim 1 wherein the downloading step includes denying the download based upon a customer identifier associated with the user.

Claim 17 (currently amended): A method for converting file identifiers for use in generating default storage file names for the corresponding files, comprising:

receiving an identifier related to a file;

receiving from a user a request to download the file;

automatically converting the identifier to a name identifying a type of content of the file; and

automatically displaying the name in a request for a file name for storing the file.

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Claim 18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (currently amended): The method of claim 17 18 wherein the converting step includes changing a format of a the uniform resource locator associated with the file to accommodate particular web browsers.

Claim 20-21 (canceled)

Claim 22 (original): The method of claim 17 wherein the converting step includes changing a network address associated with the file.

Claim 23 (currently amended): An apparatus for secure downloading of a file from a network, comprising:

a selection module for receiving selection of a file;

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a receive module for receiving an order, during an on-line session, from a user for download of the selected file, the order including a file identifier related to the file and an order identifier related to the order;

a file identifier module for verifying the file identifier based upon particular information related to the file;

an order identifier module for verifying the order identifier based upon particular information related to the order, including:

a module for determining if the order identifier is valid for the order, meaning the order identifier exists for the order;

a module for determining if the order identifier is active, meaning the order was not canceled before the download of the file during the on-line session; and

a module for determining if the order identifier is non-suppressed, meaning the order was not canceled after the download of the file during the on-line session; and

a download module for selectively permitting the download of the file based upon the verification of the file identifier and the verification of the order identifier.

Claim 24 (canceled)

Claim 25 (currently amended): The apparatus of claim 23 wherein the file identifier module includes a module for verifying one or more of the following: a version identifier related to the file; a uniform resource locator for the file; or a customer identifier associated with the user.

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Claim 26-29 (canceled)

Claim 30 (original): The apparatus of claim 23, further including a module for verifying a transaction identifier associated with the order, and wherein the permission module further includes a module for permitting download of the file based upon the verification of the transaction identifier.

Claim 31 (currently amended): The apparatus of claim 23 wherein the download module further includes a module for selectively downloading the file based upon one or more of the following: a number of requested downloads associated with the file identifier; a number of successful downloads of the file; or a time parameter related to submission of the order.

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Claim 32-35 (canceled)

Claim 36 (currently amended): The apparatus of claim 23-35, further including a module for displaying a default identification as a the file name for storing the file based upon an identification of the file.

Claim 37 (previously amended): The apparatus of claim 36, further including a module for transmitting the generated file identifier for display to the user.

Claim 38 (original): The apparatus of claim 23 wherein the download module includes a module for denying the download based upon a customer identifier associated with the user.

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Claim 39 (currently amended): An apparatus for converting file identifiers for use in generating default storage file names for the corresponding files, comprising:

- an identifier module for receiving an identifier related to a file;
- a receive module for receiving from a user a request to download the file;
- a conversion module for automatically converting the identifier to a name identifying a type of content of the file; and
- a display module for automatically displaying the name in a request for a file name for storing the file.

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Claim 41 (currently amended): The apparatus of claim 39-40 wherein the conversion module includes a module for changing a format of a the uniform resource locator associated with the file to accommodate particular web browsers.

Claim 42-43 (canceled)

Claim 44 (original): The apparatus of claim 39 wherein the conversion module includes a module for changing a network address associated with the file.

Claim 45-66 (canceled)